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Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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	Examiner	Art Unit	
	PRASHANT J. KHATRI	1783	

All Participants:

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(2) Joe Corso (Applicant's Representative)

Date of Interview: 5 October 2010

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: .

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

Prior art documents discussed:

Taruya (JP 05-016598)

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

Discussed proposed amendments regarding independent claim 41 with respect to the Taruya reference. Examiner noted that further search and consideration are needed with respect to any further amendments.

Part III.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

/Patricia L. Nordmeyer/
Examiner, Art Unit 1783

Status of Application: After-Final/Pre-Appeal Brief Request

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(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)